

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Our Docket No.: 14489.03

First Named Inventor: Michael R. Klardie

Title: **METHOD OF MANUFACTURING CUTTING FLUTES ON
A COATED OR ROUGHENED DENTAL IMPLANT**

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

1. ☒ Fee Calculation Sheet
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status
3. ☒ Specification with Cover Sheet Total Pages: 20
 - ☒ Descriptive title of the invention
 - ☒ Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - ☐ Statement Re: Fed. Sponsored R&D
 - ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - ☒ Background of the Invention
 - ☒ Brief Summary of the Invention
 - ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings
 - ☒ Detailed Description
 - ☒ Claims
 - ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawings (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets: 3
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration Total Pages: 3
 - a. ☐ Newly Executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 19 completed)
 - i. ☐ DELECTION OF INVENTORS
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 C.F.R. 1.76)
7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(If applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
10. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
11. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Submission
12. ☐ Power of Attorney
13. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
(with Copies of Citations as necessary)
14. ☒ Preliminary Amendment Total Pages: 5
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
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CONTINUATION APPLICATIONS

19. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

- ☒ Continuation
- ☐ Division
- ☐ Continuation-in-Part (CIP)

of PRIOR APPLICATION

U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application No. 09/976,263, filed October 11, 2001; now issued as 6,626,671; which is a non-provisional of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/239,346, filed October 11, 2000.; and also claims priority from PCT/US01/42667, filed October 11, 2001.

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

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APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET (FY 2003)

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)				FEE CALCULATION (Continued)			
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to: Deposit Account No.: <u>04-1420</u> Deposit Account Name: <u>DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)				3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
				Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee paid
2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check Enclosed				50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
				130	65	Surcharge - Late nonprovisional filing fee or oath	
				180	180	Submission of IDS	
				40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
FEE CALCULATION				110	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE				410	205	Extension for reply within second month	
Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description		930	465	Extension for reply within third month	
160	80	<input type="checkbox"/> Provisional Filing Fee		1,450	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
750	375	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee		1,970	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
330	165	<input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee		750	375	Submission After Final 1.129	
750	375	<input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee		320	160	Notice of Appeal	
		Subtotal (1)		320	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
		\$375.00		280	140	Request for oral hearing	
2. EXTRA* CLAIM FEES				110	55	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	
	Number Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee from Below*	Fee Paid	130	130
Total	28	- 20	= 8	x \$9.00	= \$72.00	50	50
Indep.	4	- 3	= 1	x \$42.00	= \$42.00	Petitions related to provisional applications	
Multiple Dependent Claims			=	\$140.00	= \$140.00	1,300	650
		Subtotal (2)		\$254.00		470	235
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Appln Trans (1); Fee Trans (1); Appln Data Sheet (3); Prelim Amend (5); Copy of Executed Declaration from priority appln (3); Spec w/Cover Sheet (20); Drwgs (3); Information Disclosure Statement (2); Form PCT/SB/08A (1, in dupl); Check #968417; Rcpt Pstcrd*(Identify type of correspondence)*

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